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LOUIS D. FALO, JR. ET AL.

Serial No. 08/931,219

Filed September 19, 1997

Entitled

STIMULATION OF CELL-MEDIATED IMMUNE RESPONSES BY TARGETED PARTICULATE GENETIC **IMMUNIZATION**

File Wrapper Continuation of Application No. 08/535,566, filed September 28, 1995, and now abandoned.

RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

December 8, 1999

Assistant Commissioner for Patents **BOX AF** Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated June 9, 1999, in connection with the above-captioned application. The Office Action has been reviewed, and the following response and amendment offered in an effort to advance the case to allowance. Reconsideration and early allowance of all pending claims in light of the following remarks is courteously requested. A Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time is enclosed, bringing the time for response up to December 9, 1999. A Notice of Appeal is also submitted.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

On page 1, line 12, please insert --

CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 08/535,556, now abandoned. --

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